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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Steven G. LeMay, et al.

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Application No.: 09/642,192

Examiner: Steven L. Ashburn

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Title: GAMING MACHINE VIRTUAL PLAYER

TRACKING AND RELATED SERVICES

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## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed July 1, 2004 finally rejecting Claims 1-44 and 47-53.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Appeal Fee: \$170.00 (Small Entity) \$340.00 (Large Entity)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR

1.17(a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

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|  | <u>Months</u>   | Large Entity                           | Small Entity |
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|  | one   | \$110.00                               | \$ 55.00     |
|  | two   | \$430.00                               | \$215.00     |
|  | three   | \$980.00                               | \$490.00     |
|  | If an additional exten  | ase consider this a petition therefor. |              |
| \$   | An extension for 1 month(s) has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. |  |              |
| Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time. |   |  |              |
| Total Fee Due  |   |  |              |
|  | Notice of App   | eal Fee \$                             | 340.00       |
|  | Extension Fee   |  | 110.00       |
|  | Total Fee Due   | \$                                     | 450.00       |
| Enclosed is Check No. 09788 in the amount of \$450.00.   |   |  |              |
| Charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500388, (Order No. IGT1P031).  |   |  |              |
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